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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Jeannette Cardamone et al.

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For: Methods of Improving Shrink-Resistance of Natural Fibers, Synthetic Fibers, or Mixtures Thereof, or Fabric or Yarn Composed of Natural Fibers, Synthetic Fibers, or Mixtures Thereof

**AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In complete response to the Office Action dated 26 January 2006, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows: